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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322 AND 1.323

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322 and 1.323, the Patentee requests the issuance of a Certificate of Correction in connection with the above-identified patent. The enclosed Form PTO-1050 setting forth the necessary correction is submitted herewith.

The error to be corrected is of a clerical or typographical nature, and does not constitute new matter. The error is in the Related U.S. Application Data on the face of the subject patent and in Parent Continuity Data in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (“USPTO”) electronic records.

Specifically, in the Preliminary Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115 dated July 10, 2003 amending the specification to include continuity data, the applicants correctly identified parent U.S. Patent No. 5,623,064 filed December 1, 1994, but made an inadvertent typographical error inverting the digits of its serial number, *i.e.*, parent application no. 08/347,911 was erroneously listed as “application no. 08/437,911.”

As a result of this inadvertent typographical error in the serial number of the prior patent, the USPTO erroneously listed the prior patent as "abandoned"; i.e., "a continuation-in-part of application No. 08/437,911, *filed on May 10, 1995, now abandoned.*"

Accordingly, please correct the Related U.S. Application Data at section (63) of the front page of the patent as follows:

(63) Continuation of application No. 09/866,827, filed on May 29, 2001, now Pat. No. 6,610,668, which is a continuation of application No. 09/227, 840, filed on Jan. 11, 1999, now abandoned, which is a division of application No. 08/471, 290, filed on Jun. 6, 1995, now Pat No. 5,858,350, which is a continuation-in-part of application No. ~~08/437,911~~ 08/347,911, filed on ~~May 10, 1995~~ Dec. 1, 1994, now abandoned Pat. No. 5,623,064, which is a continuation-in-part of application No. 08/160,569, filed on Dec. 1, 1993, now Pat. No. 5,622,834.

In addition, please correct the Parent Continuity Data of the subject patent in the USPTO electronic records accordingly.

Please charge the fee in the amount of \$100.00 for Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a), and any other fees that may be required, to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

The Patentee respectfully requests issuance of a Certificate of Correction in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 6,864,245 B2
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the front page of the patent, please correct the Related U.S. Application Data at section (63) as follows:

Replace:

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With:

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